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THE FLYING PETREL PROUDLY SPOTLIGHTS



Mr. & Mrs. Stephen J. Schmidt

Mr. & Mrs. "Oglethorpe College"

Mr. & Mrs. "Dixie Seal & Stamp Company"

Jeanne Fuller Schmidt—'42 is a member of Kappa Delta Sorority, the Oglethorpe Alumni Association, and Oglethorpe Founders' Club. **Stephen J. Schmidt**—'40 is a Trustee of the College, a board member of the Oglethorpe Booster Club, a member of the Oglethorpe Alumni Association, and a member of the Oglethorpe Founders' Club. During his days at Oglethorpe University he was a pledge of Pi Kappa Phi and one of our football petrels. Steve, Jr. is currently attending Memphis Southwestern and daughter, Leslie Schmidt Williams, is teaching 4th grade in Tallahassee, Florida.

Every Oglethorpe student, alumnus, faculty member and administrator will admit that Oglethorpe College is unique and "stands out in some way" over any other experience. Members of the Oglethorpe community who have been fortunate enough to share the experience of knowing the Schmidts' will also agree that there is an ever-lasting specialness in being associated with these two outstanding Oglethorpe alumni. Recently, in Mr. Schmidt's address to the Oglethorpe student body and faculty at the Oglethorpe Day convocation, he described the Oglethorpe spirit.

"This College just did not just happen. You've got to know that first of all. There is beyond your comprehension and mine much hard work, dedication, blood, sweat, tears, prayers, pride, sacrifices and determination to succeed that make up the ingredients of Oglethorpe from its first day until this day. We are still using these qualities. You are, the faculty is, the trustees are, and everyone connected with Oglethorpe. It has been a real struggle and

MAY I HAVE YOUR ATTENTION

We want each of you to enjoy Alumni Day — Oglethorpe Style.

MAY 30, 1970

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 12:00 — 1:30 | Booster Club Luncheon |
| 1:00 — 4:00 | Open Reception in College Center |
| 1:30 | Dedication of New Women's Dormitory |
| 2:00 — 3:00 | Tours of Campus |
| 3:00 — 3:45 | Founders' Club Meeting |
| 4:00 — 5:00 | Alumni Meeting and Drawing |
| (Saturday Evening) Baccalaureate | |
| (Sunday, May 31) Graduation | |

Don't just sit around remembering the good 'ole days. Relive your youth by spending the afternoon on the Oglethorpe College campus. That's 4484 PEACHTREE ROAD, ATLANTA, GEORGIA ----- we're still in the same spot.

I think there is no better phrase to describe Oglethorpe than **Stormy Petrel**."

In turn, this overture describes the Schmidt approach to life. All Oglethorpe people respect, admire and appreciate the Schmidt Family. Not a year should pass without publicly saluting and expressing our gratitude to this family.

Steve recently purchased this facility at 600 Somerset Terrace, Atlanta, Georgia. His company, DIXIE SEAL & STAMP, has moved to this location.



OGLETHORPE CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM

Oglethorpe College is pleased to announce the appointment of **Mr. Charles Walton** as Director of Continuing Education. Mr. Walton comes to Oglethorpe with an extensive background in communications and public information. He holds a B.A. degree from David Lipscomb College in Nashville, Tennessee and an M.A. from George Peabody College in Education of the Deaf, with emphasis on Language and Communication. His experience has touched almost every area of education and related fields. He has worked as teacher, preacher, coach, camp counselor and director, editor and copywriter.

For the past two years, Mr. Walton has been employed by American Guidance Service, Inc. to write stories and design educational materials for the fields of elementary guidance and speech therapy.

Mr. Walton is married and the father of three boys, Pat, age 7; Tim age 5; and Don, age 2-1/2. The Oglethorpe College Alumni Association and the Flying Petrel welcome Mr. Walton to Atlanta and the Oglethorpe staff.

ALUMNI CONTRIBUTION REPORT

| | Amount Paid | Pledged | Contributors |
|------|----------------|---------|--------------|
| 1921 | 25.00 | | 2 |
| 1922 | 45.00 | | 3 |
| 1923 | 100.00 | | 2 |
| 1924 | 655.00 | 100.00 | 7 |
| 1925 | 905.00 | | 9 |
| 1926 | 130.00 | | 4 |
| 1927 | 30.00 | 5000.00 | 3 |
| 1928 | 455.00 | 10.00 | 9 |
| 1929 | 255.00 | 75.00 | 9 |
| 1930 | 240.00 | | 6 |
| 1931 | 65.00 | | 5 |
| 1932 | 80.00 | | 4 |
| 1933 | 150.00 | | 3 |
| 1934 | 90.00 | 10.00 | 6 |
| 1935 | 165.00 | 40.00 | 5 |
| 1936 | 70.00 | 65.00 | 3 |
| 1937 | 90.00 | | 7 |
| 1938 | 75.00 | | 7 |
| 1939 | 375.00 | | 11 |
| 1940 | 865.00 | 105.00 | 11 |
| 1941 | 1115.00 | | 5 |
| 1942 | 175.00 | | 5 |
| 1943 | 30.00 | | 4 |
| 1944 | 35.00 | 5.00 | 5 |
| 1945 | 13.00 | | 2 |
| 1946 | 110.00 | | 2 |
| 1947 | | | |
| 1948 | 90.00 | | 4 |
| 1949 | 68.00 | | 5 |
| 1950 | 194.00 | | 6 |
| 1951 | 50.00 | | 4 |
| 1952 | 170.00 | 10.00 | 5 |
| 1953 | 65.00 | 5.00 | 8 |
| 1954 | 95.00 | | 7 |
| 1955 | 150.00 | | 5 |
| 1956 | 200.00 | 25.00 | 6 |
| 1957 | 50.00 | | 4 |
| 1958 | 330.00 | | 14 |
| 1959 | | | |
| 1960 | | 10.00 | 1 |
| 1961 | 10.00 | | 1 |
| 1962 | 100.00 | 25.00 | 8 |
| 1963 | 440.00 | | 5 |
| 1964 | 60.00 | | 5 |
| 1965 | 70.00 | | 2 |
| 1966 | 140.00 | 150.00 | 8 |
| 1967 | 393.00 | | 8 |
| 1968 | 55.00 | 10.00 | 5 |
| 1969 | 125.00 | 10.00 | 11 |

DEVELOPMENT REPORT — 1969-70

April

| | Paid | Pledged | Total |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Alumni | 6,415.00 | 5,375.00 | 11,790.00 |
| Boosters | 2,594.00 | 175.00 | 2,769.00 |
| Corporations | 9,332.56 | 600.00 | 9,932.56 |
| Foundations | 46,420.89 | 260,666.00 | 307,086.89 |
| Individuals | 3,390.00 | | 3,390.00 |
| TOTALS | \$68,152.45 | \$266,816.00 | \$334,968.45 |

CLASS CAPTAINS

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1921 Lester M. McClung | 1939 Charles C. King |
| 1923 Joel B. Kersey | 1942 Mary B. Asher |
| 1924 Otis M. Jackson | 1952 J. Fred Agel |
| 1925 Wendell Crowe | 1962 Bill Flommer |
| 1930 M. B. Eubanks | 1963 H. Lynn Drury |
| 1933 E. H. Lundy, Jr. | 1964 Dennis Kerr |
| 1934 Nellie Jane Gaertner | 1965 Jimbo Hartlage |
| 1935 Ben T. Hargrove | 1966 William R. Coson |
| 1937 Myrta T. Carper | 1969 Ronald L. Davenport |
| 1938 Francis S. Key | |

SUMMER ORIENTAL STYLE

June 4, 1970 to June 29, 1970

Conducted by Dr. Ken Nishimura, Chairman of Humanities Division and Professor of Philosophy at Oglethorpe College.

Oglethorpe College Far Eastern Summer Session offers an exceptional opportunity for public school teachers as well as American College students to undertake a program of study in several Eastern (Oriental) cities. For three weeks the group will travel in the milieu of a greater culture and study the origin, nature and achievements of those particular cultures.

Cost: \$1495.00

Dates: June 6 - 28 (Japan, Formosa, Hong Kong, Phillipine and Hawaii); May 4 - 29 (Four seminars on Thursday evenings at 7:30 p.m. at Oglethorpe College Campus).

Eligibility: This session is open to undergraduate men and women in good standing from all colleges and universities, and to teachers in the elementary or secondary schools.

The response to "Summer Oriental Style" has been overwhelming. Twelve reservations have been confirmed, leaving only eight openings to be filled before the May 15th deadline. Reservations are confirmed by a \$100.00 deposit per person and on a first come first served basis. For further information and brochure please contact:

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OGLETHORPE CONFERENCE ON PORNOGRAPHY AND CENSORSHIP

... May 2

The Oglethorpe College Department of Continuing Education announces the **Oglethorpe Conference on PORNOGRAPHY AND CENSORSHIP**. The one-day conference is scheduled for Saturday, May 2, 1970 in Lupton Auditorium.

An outstanding list of speakers has been arranged. Each is a leader in his field. Raymond P. Gauer of Los Angeles is the National Director of Citizens for Decent Literature. Hugh Gibert, a prominent Atlanta attorney, will represent the American Civil Liberties Union. Philip Palmer is a professor of Political Science and teacher of Constitutional Law at Oglethorpe College. Robert Brennan, News Director for WAGA-TV and Reg Murphy, Editor of the **Atlanta Constitution** will also be featured.

The program will include presentations by both the "censorship" and the "free speech" adherants. Two movies will be shown: "Pornography and the Court" and "The Atlanta Market." There will be small-group discussion of

ALUMNI NEWS

Lester M. McClung—'21 — has retired from business and is living in Clearwater, Florida. He has seven grandchildren and spends his time nowadays "fishing."

A. Merriman Smith—'36 — The Flying Petrel is sad to learn of the death of this distinguished alumnus. He received an honorary degree, Doctor of Humane Letters, from Oglethorpe in 1964.

T. E. Ewing—'37 — is Employee Relations Superintendent for E. I. DuPont Company. He and his wife, Margaret, make their home in Aiken, South Carolina. Mr. Ewing recently informed the Flying Petrel that their boat proudly carries the name of "Stormy Petrel IV."

John Craig Williams—'40 — is Sales Manager for Jack's Cookie Corporation and makes his home in Easley, South Carolina.

C. Philip Scales—'41 — is President of Warehouse Distributors, Inc. in Atlanta, Georgia. In January 1970, Warehouse Distributors moved their business to a new 44,000 sq. ft. facility on Selig Drive, S.W. Atlanta.

William R. Foster—'58 — assumed the position of Director of Personnel, U.S. Textile Corporation, Columbia, South Carolina in January 1970. He and his wife Fredericka, have two daughters, Katherine 17 and Lucile 12.

Stuart L. Lynn—'63 — is Supervisor of Probation at the DeKalb Juvenile Court in Georgia.

Brenda A. Starling—'64 — is an admissions counselor at the University of Tennessee in Chattanooga.

Patricia Abbott—'65 — was married on January 10, 1970 to Lloyd W. Stout. Mr. & Mrs. Stout reside in Speicher, Germany where Mr. Stout is with the 36th Supply Squadron at the Spangdahlem A.F.B.

Patsy Turner Warren—'65 and **Jack Warren**—'62 — reside in Savannah, Georgia. Jack is employed by Sears, Roebuck and Company which is located on the Oglethorpe Mall in Savannah. The Warrens' are the proud parents of two children, Lisa 3 and Chris 17 months.

Jimmy Ray Hoggarth—'68 — is presently employed with E. T. Barwick Carpet Mills.

Melanie E. Miller—'69 — is attending graduate school at Georgia State University part-time. She is also teaching at Shallowford Elementary School in DeKalb County, Ga.

Robert W. Prescott—'69 — is serving in the U.S. Army. He began Officers Candidate School in May 1970.

Barry Marc Wiesner—'69 — presently employed by Bankers Trust Company in Forrest Hills, New York, plans to enter graduate school at Queens College in the fall of 1970.

topics as well as an open question-and-answer session with the experts.

Admission will be by advance registration and will be limited to the first two hundred enrollees. The registration fee is \$20 and covers all sessions and materials, including lunch (choice of steak or fried chicken.)

Further information and registration forms available from the **Director of Continuing Education, Oglethorpe College, Atlanta, Georgia 30319 — 261-1441.**

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